



## State Water Resources Control Board

June 17, 2016

(Via email and Certified Mail)
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Mr. Ron Fajardo General Services Manager City of El Segundo 350 Main Street El Segundo, California 90245 rfajardo@elsegundo.org

SUBJECT:

NOTICE OF VIOLATION; UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK SYSTEMS LOCATED AT EL SEGUNDO MAINTENANCE FACILITY, 150 ILLINOIS

STREET, EL SEGUNDO

Dear Mr. Fajardo:

As part of an initiative by the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) to ensure compliance at government-owned and/or operated underground storage tank (UST) facilities in California, the State Water Board staff inspected the USTs at your facility on June 8, 2016, pursuant to authority under Health and Safety Code (H&SC), chapter 6.7, section 25289.

The State Water Board has identified the following violations pursuant to H&SC, chapter 6.7, and title 23, California Code of Regulations (CCR), chapter 16:

No.	Violation	Tank	Start Date	Stop Date	Regulation
1	Failure to Maintain Overfill Prevention – A product measuring stick was present in the fill tube for the diesel tank system, preventing the flapper-valve from functioning. Corrected onsite at time of inspection.	Diesel	June 8, 2016	June 8, 2016	H&SC 25291(c); 23 CCR 2635(b)(2)
2	Failure to Maintain Spill Containment Requirements – Liquid was in the 30W new oil spill container preventing its ability to hold five gallons.	30W new oil	June 8, 2016	Ongoing	H&SC 25284.2; 23 CCR 2635(b)(1)
3	Failure to Provide Designated Operator Training to Facility Employees – Facility employees were last trained on March 17, 2015. Employees must be trained annually.	All	March 18, 2016	Ongoing	23 CCR 2715(f)

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4	Failure to Maintain Financial Responsibility – Financial responsibility onsite expired on December 13, 2015. Update financial responsibility mechanism.	All	June 8, 2016	Ongoing	H&SC 25292.2; 23 CCR 2711(a)(11)

You are directed to correct the ongoing violations and submit compliance documentation to the State Water Board and the El Segundo Fire Department within sixty (60) days from the date of this letter. Have your Designated Operator make specific notations in the next monthly designated operator report indicating the ongoing violations have been corrected. The monthly designated operator report and any associated photos must be submitted as proof of compliance.

Please send all compliance documentation to the following:

## **State Water Board**

Mr. Will Speth
UST Enforcement Officer
Office of Enforcement
State Water Resources Control Board
1001 I Street, 16<sup>th</sup> Floor
Sacramento, California 95814
will.speth@waterboards.ca.gov

## **Local CUPA**

Mr. James Carver Fire Marshal/Investigator El Segundo Fire Department 314 Main Street El Segundo, California 90245 jcarver@elsegundo.org

Pursuant to Health and Safety Code, chapter 6.7, section 25299, the owner and operator of the tank(s) are liable for a penalty of \$500 to \$5,000 per tank, per day of violation. These penalties will continue to accrue until the violations have been corrected.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (916) 341-5551, or by email at amantha.henkel@waterboards.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

Amantha Henkel

Senior Environmental Scientist

UST Enforcement Unit
Office of Enforcement

CC:

(via email only)

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